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For: DATA DRIVEN TYPE APPARATUS AND METHOD

WITH ROUTER OPERATING AT A DIFFERENT RECEIVED

TRANSFER RATE THAN SYSTEM TO ATTAIN

HIGHER THROUGHPUT (As Amended)

Technology Center 2100

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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 June 21, 2004

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated February 20, 2004, the period for response having been extended one (1) month to June 20, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes Amendments to the Specification;
Amendments to the Claims; and Remarks.

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